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TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

Mr. J. F. Triplett, Columbia's Oldest Native Male Citizen, Dies at His Home November 23, 1920.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT RESIDENCE

Last Tuesday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock, Mr. J. F. Triplett, who was born and reared in Columbia, and who never lived elsewhere during his long life of seventy-three years, four months and seven days, in the presence of his brother, sisters and other relatives, peacefully passed from this sinful world, to be at rest with his God.

He had been a familiar figure about this town since he was old enough to walk the streets. He was not only well and favorably known in town, but his acquaintance extended over the entire county of Adair.

At the time of his death he was the oldest male native citizen of this place, and at no time did he ever live elsewhere. From youth to manhood and down to old age, he was clean in all his transactions. While upon his deathbed he ordered all accounts against him to be brought in, and they were promptly paid. He did not want any debts to come up against him after his earthly existence closed.

He was the second son and second child of Lewis and Frances Triplett, who were well-known to the older residents of the community. When a boy he was a great help to his mother in conducting household affairs, and after her death he was just as faithful to his sisters, lifting every burden from them he could. He never married, believing that it was his duty to remain at home with those of same blood.

He was never charged with an unlawful act, believing that it was the duty of all good citizens to live up right and obey those in authority.

In manner he was unassuming, standing for his rights and no more. He has certainly left a good name and it will be a long time before we again see his like. His character and manner of living is a priceless heritage to his brother, Dr. James Triplett, and sisters, Mrs. W. T. Grant, of Sonora, Ky., who was with him in his last hours, and Miss Minnie Triplett, who was constantly at his bedside for days and nights before the closing scene, administering to his every want.

The deceased made a profession of his faith in Christ many years ago and united with the Baptist Church, living a consistent Christian until God called him to a better world.

The funeral services were held at the residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. Leslie J. B. Smith, and Eld. Z. T. Williams, of the Christian Church. Both ministers paid high tribute to his Christian character and standing.

At the close of the services all that was mortal of this good man was conveyed to the city cemetery and there laid to rest by the side of loved ones.

The floral designs were beautiful. May God who heals all sorrow pour the balm of Gilead into the wounded hearts of the remaining members of the deceased's family, is the wish of the writer who knew the departed almost as well as he knows himself, and whose demise touched the tender cords of his heart.

If you fail to attend Goff Bros. sale on Dec. 9, 10 and 11, you will sure miss a great money saving in the very things you need for winter.

Miss Louzeta Powell, who was 90 years old and a charge on the county, died at the poor farm last Sunday week.

Dr. W. J. Flowers has removed his office from the Russell building to his residence, on Burkesville street.

Born, to the wife of Jo Barbee, on Tuesday, the 23d, of November, a fine son—Jo Russell.

The Post Office.

We hear the names of several in this place who will be applicants for the Columbia post-office. If a change is to be made, we have no particular choice. All the community is interested in it, having a capable, accommodating official. The time for which the present incumbent has been appointed, will not expire for nearly three years, and as the office is under civil service, charges of inefficiency would have to be made in order to oust him.

Who is going to make the charges? Again, whoever is appointed over Mr. Mercer will have to stand a civil service examination. There are many who would make postmasters who can not pass this examination, but the law will have to be complied with before the appointment is made.

Last Tuesday afternoon some gentlemen, who were at the Triplett home, noticed smoke issuing from Mrs. Daisy Hamlett's wood house, and knowing that it was out of the ordinary, hastened to the scene. They found an empty barrel burning and one side of the house in flames. They hurriedly extinguished the fire and no damage was done. If the fire had not been discovered when it was, serious damage would have resulted. Not only the wood-house would have been destroyed, but the dwelling and other residences along the street. It is not known how the fire originated.

The town Marshal ought to be instructed to keep an eye on thieves about this town. People are afraid to leave their rugs, wrenches and other articles in buggies while they do a little shopping. Last week Mr. Luther Mitchell drove into town, and while he was making some purchases at a store his buggy was visited and a new halter stolen, and also a new wrench. If a close watch was resorted to the thieves might be caught. If their acts are not stopped, people out of town will have to walk instead of riding.

Mr. W. H. Conover, who lives near White Oak church, has, in his yard, a red cedar martin pole which was put up before the civil war, sixty-nine years ago. It is perfectly sound and since it has been up several boxes have rotted and replaced by new ones. The pole will evidently stand for many more years, as there are no signs of decaying.

Miss Irene Nelson, 12 years old, sister of Garlan Nelson, who is in the Lindsey-Wilson, visited here two days this week. She is in school at Greensburg, and is a skilled pianist, and a very entertaining little girl. She spent Monday night with Miss Katie Murrell, and during the evening neighbors called to hear her sing and play.

We were told last Friday that hogs on the Columbia market, were down to 7 1/2 cents. There is an abundance of corn in Adair county and to us it looks like it might pay in long run for speculators to buy hogs and fatten them. The market will come up after a while.

A married man says he has no trouble in telling when Christmas is close at hand. He says when he rises in the morning his socks are darned, buttons sewed on his shirt and his coat and trousers are brushed. The women know how to work for remembrances.

The iron bridge above the Harris structure is said to be unsafe, especially for heavy hauling. The one whose business it is to have it put in a safe condition knows it. There are eight iron bridges in the county and they should be examined every few months.

For the last two weeks the county roads have been in fine condition to be worked. We doubt if any improvements were made. When the weather is suitable for road working, nothing is done. If the weather is bad it is too muddy to work.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FARMERS BANK
Doing Business at Casey's Creek, County of Adair, State of Kentucky, At the Close of Business on the 15th Day of Nov. 1920

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	72 555 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	19 48
Stocks, bonds and other securities	5 000 00
Due from Banks	9 080 02
Cash on hand	4 269 15
Checks and other cash items	
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	1 000 00
Total	\$91 914 71
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$15 000 00
Surplus Fund	3 000 00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	950 34
Deposits subject to check	58 029 37
Time Deposits	14 335 00
Reserve for taxes	
Bills Payable	
Total	\$91 914 71

STATE OF KENTUCKY)
COUNTY OF TAYLOR)
I, Mc. C. Goode and T. O. Morton, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Mc. C. Goode, President.
T. O. Morton, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Nov. 1920.
My commission expires Jan. 21, 1922.
G. L. Gowdy, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:

Emmit Goode,
S. S. Goode,
O. L. Goode, Directors.

Some Trading.

W. E. Morgan and wife conveyed to S. D. Barbee, last week the house and lot near the Fair grounds, formerly occupied by Grover Grissom, deceased, for \$2,325.

S. D. Barbee sold the dwelling and lot and livery barn where J. H. Goff resides, to Albin Murray, for \$4,000. Mr. Barbee purchased this property from J. D. Irvine and W. H. Irvine only a few weeks ago.

Died in Green County.

Miss Bertha Yates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yates, died at her home, Green county, last Monday afternoon. She was a victim of consumption, and was about 17 years old. The funeral will be held here Wednesday. She was known to quite a number of Columbians, who are in sympathy with the family.

A Card of Thanks.

To our neighbors, and friends throughout the county who so kindly remembered our daughter in her long illness, we extend our heartfelt thanks and wish to say their kind deeds shall always be remembered by us.
Respt.
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Neat.

Pressing Shop.

I have opened a cleaning and pressing shop, and will call for and deliver all work. All work guaranteed. Phone 31.
5-2t
E. Cravens.

A modern discovery for the rapid healing of flesh wounds, cuts, burns, bruises, sores and scalds is Liquid Borozone. It is a clear, colorless liquid possessing marvelous healing power. Price, 30c, 60c, and \$1.20. Sold by Paul Drug Co.

Persons who know that their paid time will expire for the News at the end of this year, are invited to call and renew. We are not expecting to lose a subscriber, but we want them to call or send in their subscriptions promptly.

Irregularity in the bowel movements makes you feel uncomfortable and leads to a constipated habit which is bad. Herbine is the remedy you need. It restores healthy regularity. Price, 60c. Sold by Paul Drug Co.

Furniture and all kinds of floor coverings. Anything you need to furnish your house. Range and heating stoves.
3-4t
Nell & Cheatham.

Basket Ball.

The Monticello basket ball team, accompanied by several young ladies, reached here Wednesday of last week, ready for the contests that had been previously billed.

They first engaged the High School team before a large audience, and when time was up Monticello had 31 to 17. This game was played Wednesday night. Thursday afternoon the visitors went up against the Town Team, defeating it 40 to 12.

The last game was against the Lindsey-Wilson boys, who were also snowed under, the score being 50 to 14. All the contests were uninterrupted, played, and the best of feelings prevailed.

Paid List.

The following are new paid subscribers and renewals since our issue of last Tuesday.

Miss Ellen Burton, Mrs. Calvin Cox, Allen Morrison, Grissom Bros., Mrs. Elizabeth Murrell, Mrs. Lula Sinclair, T. P. Dunbar, W. M. Diddle, Mrs. E. B. Perry, G. W. Coffey, J. H. Judd, Thetis Williams, Katie Gadberry, R. Goode, Luther Grockman, W. J. Edgington, J. Conover, W. C. Leach, Green River Gas Co., C. E. Young, J. M. Blair, Frank Thompson.

Stolen.

Lucien Squires and Walker Landers, who were visiting at Mr. Tilden Wilcox's had their overcoats stolen from their auto which was standing in front of Young's barbershop, last Saturday week. They will pay a reward for their recovery.

Sale Put Off.

Our Sale advertised for Dec. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th., has been changed to Dec. 9, 10 and 11. See their add in this issue. Goff Bros. Store.

Judd Bros. have about completed, for Mr. Curt Yarberr, one of the handsomest residences in the county. It is located near the pike on Mr. Yarberr's farm, convenient to Columbia. It is large and roomy and will have all the modern fixtures.

Mrs. W. E. Hancock and children wish to express their heart felt thanks to their friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them during the sickness and death of the husband and father. Such kindness will never be forgotten.

Mr. R. J. Lyon was here Monday. He called at this office and arranged for Ford and Tractor ads, to run several months. Buchanan Lyon Co. sell their machines on their merit, and they are placing them all over the country.

To relieve rheumatism, sprains, lame back, lumbago or pleurisy, Ballard's Snow Liniment is a remedy of proven merit. It is very powerful and penetrating. Three sizes, 30c 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Paul Drug Co.

Mens, boys and ladies underwear, sweaters and hosiery.
3-4t
Nell & Cheatham

Mr. J. H. Goff has removed from the residence where he has lived for several years, to his dwelling, in Russell Heights, beyond the bridge.

Friday afternoon the Graded School team went to Campbellsville, and at 3:00 o'clock they made a clean up. The score was 42 to 22.

Christmas will soon be here, and it will bring happiness to many hearts. It will also bring groans to the old man who foots the bills.

Rev. R. V. Bennett preached a Thanksgiving sermon at Jamestown. A large number of people heard it.

Cull Lumber for Sale.

\$2.00 per hundred, at my mill in Columbia.
Elsey Young.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

GRADYVILLE STATE BANK,

DOING BUSINESS AT TOWN OF GRADYVILLE COUNTY OF ADAIR STATE OF KENTUCKY.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 15TH DAY OF NOV. 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	63 635 73
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5 125 32
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	7 500 00
Due from Banks	6 815 63
Cash on hand	5 639 37
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	2 947 69
Total	\$91 735 54
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in, in cash	15 000 00
Surplus Funds	5 300 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1 035 10
Deposits Subject to check	\$70 401 44
Time Deposits	70 401 44
Total	\$91 735 54

STATE OF KENTUCKY)
County of Adair)
I, W. M. Wilmore and C. O. Moss, V. President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
W. M. Wilmore, Vice President.
C. O. Moss, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Nov. 1920.
My commission expires Jan. 21, 1924.
Geo. E. Nell, Notary Public

H. D. McBrayer, Lawrenceburg, Ned Wesley, Casey county, and J. R. Brown, Sturgis, Ky., all students of Center College, Danville, were here last Saturday forenoon, en route to Russell county. They will visit the schools of Russell, giving the State survey.

Foxes Wanted.

Greys.....\$4.00 each
Reds.....\$7.00 each
Peafowls.....\$1.50 to \$2.50.

W. S. HODGEN,
Campbellsville, Ky.

Thanksgiving services were well attended at the Methodist church, many being in from the country. The sermon had been well prepared, and it was delivered by Rev. Leslie J. B. Smith, of the Baptist Church.

Eld. Z. T. Williams, being indisposed, Rev. R. V. Bennett filled his pulpit last Sunday night, a large congregation being out. The speaker favored the congregation with a very entertaining discourse.

Distess after eating is due to bad digestion. Herbine helps the digestive process, clears the system of impurities and restores a feeling of vigor and buoyancy of spirits. Price, 60c. Sold by Paul Drug Co.

All members of the Adair County Farmer's Union are requested to attend the annual election of officers at Odd fellows Hall, Columbia on Saturday Dec 4, 1920.
A. O. Young Secy, Treas.

Private John Bell, of this place, now at Camp Knox, will be in Columbia Sunday, December 5. If any of the boys want to join the army, he will convey them to Camp Knox.

Mr. A. W. Paxton, who is a successful gardener, presented this office last Friday morning with four Irish potatoes that weighed five pounds. The seed were planted in July.

Mr. W. H. Cundiff, aged 27, and Miss Tom Ann Allison, aged 24, of Adair county, were reported married in Jeffersonville last Wednesday.

This is the season for marriages. Doubtless before the first day of January, 1921, many couples in Adair county will be joined in wedlock.

Goff Bros. will have some of the best bargains ever offered in Columbia at their three days sale on Dec. 9, 10 and 11.

Please call and settle your account.
3-4t
Nell & Cheatham.

Large box cook stove for sale, almost new.
Mrs. Minnie Johnson.

See Goff Bros. ad in this issue of the News and attend their big sale.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Nannie Flowers experienced a recurrence of her trouble last Tuesday, and for several hours she was seriously ill. She is much better at this writing. Later—Monday morning she had another attack, and suffered severely for several hours.

Mr. Walter McKinney and Mr. Frank Cook, Jamestown, were here last Wednesday. Mr. McKinney is the cashier of the Bank of Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker, of Gradyville, and their son, Tyler, were in Columbia a few days ago. The two latter called at this office.

Mrs. C. M. Russell left Wednesday for Bowling Green, to spend Thanksgiving at a re-union of the Clark family.

Miss Agnes Sharp, of Cane Valley visited friends here last week.

Miss Bonnie Judd, who is teaching at Falmouth, went to Indianapolis and spent Thanksgiving with her uncle, Mr. Charles Judd.

Mr. G. W. Staples arrived from Lexington last Thursday, remaining until the first of this week.

Mr. Everett Miller, who has been employed at Arkon, Ohio, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. C. C. Carroll and son, Robert, and Mdj. Short, all formerly of this place, were here last week, from Versailles, bird hunting.

Miss Thetis Williams, this place, left last Wednesday morning for Hickman, Ky., where she has been engaged to teach.

Mr. Charles Mergenthimer, of Platte River, Mo., brother of Mrs. Sam Lewis, visited in Columbia last week.

Messrs. G. W. Whitlock, Oma Goode, J. H. Pickett and J. T. Gowdy were here, from Campbellsville, a few days ago.

Messrs. Jo and Henry Hill, of Louisville, nephews of Mr. W. R. Myer's, are visiting here and are also doing some bird hunting.

Mr. Eugene Wethington [was down from Clementsville, looking after his business here last week.

Messrs. W. H. Middleton and L. M. McCubbin were here from Hodgenville last Friday.

Mr. C. J. Davidson, St. Marys W. V., was here the latter part of last week.

Mr. V. Sullivan, who accidentally got crippled at Lebanon, two weeks ago, returned home last Friday afternoon. He is on crutches.

Mr. C. Stults returned from Louisville last Wednesday. He was accompanied by Miss Nancy Starks.

Mr. Howard Spears, who has been employed in Illinois, returned home last week.

Miss Dexter English, of West Point, Miss., is visiting her many Columbia friends.

Messrs. W. R. and R. J. Lyon were over from Campbellsville a few days since.

Mr. Will Clelland, of Lebanon, called upon his customers here a few days since.

Mr. C. H. Campbell, one of the principal owners of the Greelsboro oil field, was here Friday.

Mr. H. Cox, Lebanon, was in Columbia in few days ago.

Mr. W. A. Coffey made professional visit to Frankfort last week.

Mrs. J. T. Goodman is visiting her relatives at Rowena.

Dr. P. H. Crutchfield, of Georgetown, was here a few days since.

Mr. Ned Baker, Burkesville, was in Columbia recently.

Mr. T. R. Stults returned from Louisville last week.

Mr. Jo Jones, who lives near the Fair grounds, is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Mary J. Blakeman who has been quite sick, is some better.

Mrs. W. H. Eubank, of Louisville, is visiting her father, Mr. G. R. Turpen.

TWO-SWORD MEN OF JAPAN

With Their Disbanding, Comparatively Few Years Ago, the Secret of Blademaking Disappeared.

As late as 1868 there were some 400,000 two-sword men in Japan, highly trained fighters attached to the nobles of the land in bands ranging from two or three, to an entire army. When the revolution came the work of the two-sword men was done, the nation was made into a solid unit and the strength of the blade carriers was needed at plow and bench.

With this disbanding, an exchange explains, the trade of the swordmaker was also lost to the vast number following it, and with them, as the years passed, died the secrets of the warrior tools. Swords can be obtained in Japan today whose blades are so keen they can cut through a veil or a sofa cushion, and also can be driven through a bar of iron, provided the welder has the strength. Others have blades covered with a beautiful and intricate tracery that disappears and reappears at odd times, and no one can solve the "why" of it. One moment the blade is as smooth and unmarked as a mirror and the next the design leaps out before the eye of the startled beholder and can even be felt by sensitive fingers. Yet other blades are colored red, blue, silver or gold, and while seemingly an alloy, a chemical analysis shows nothing but steel. Yet others are coated with a poison that is unseen, but beyond all other poisons deadly. In large part it consists of decayed human blood.

RACE SOON TO BE EXTINCT

Is in Wake of Civilization Have Spelt Doom to the Polynesians of South Seas.

That modern civilization is bringing death and extermination to the splendid race known as the Polynesian, is the claim of all travelers who have spent time on the beautiful southern Pacific islands. Charles Bernard Nordhoff, in the Atlantic Monthly, in sorrowing over this says:

"To say that Christianity was their undoing would be absurd; they died and are dying under the encroachments of the European civilization of which Christianity was the forerunner. Everywhere in the South seas the story has been the same, whether told by Stevenson, or Melville, or Louis Becke. We brought them disease; we brought them cotton clothing (almost as great a curse); we suppressed the sports and merriment and petty wars which enabled the old islanders to maintain their interest in life. And lastly, we brought them an alien code of morals, which succeeded chiefly in making hypocrites of the men whose souls it was designed to save. Today there is nothing to be said, nothing to be done—the Polynesian race will soon be only a memory."

New Method of Identification.

Not only are the finger prints of every human being different but the position of the bones of the fingers, and also the shape of the nails are different. Doctor Beclere, a well-known student of radiography, utilizes this fact in a new method of identifying criminals. The method consists in making an X-ray photograph of the hand, showing the bones and the fingernails. Ordinarily such a photograph would not show the flesh, but in order that the record may be complete the fingers are soaked in an opaque salt, by means of which all the lines and marks are clearly shown. Doctor Beclere considers that the possibility afforded by his discovery of keeping a record of nails as well as of finger prints should prove of the greatest use in identifying criminals.

Vast Wealth in Liberia.

The Sun and New York Herald a few weeks ago was probably the first newspaper in our country to announce that Liberia, in West Africa, had just come into view as very rich in natural resources, both agricultural and mineral. It is nearly as large as the state of New York, fronts on the Atlantic for about 300 miles and its coast belt is only about twenty miles wide. North of the coast belt the whole country is a vast forest, through which Sir Alfred Sharpe of England has recently penetrated. He has informed the Royal Geographical society of the enormous population of this, till now, unknown forest land and of the unexpected resources, including gold and other minerals, that await development there.

Radio Control for Airplanes.

There can be doubt that if the war had lasted a few months longer we would have witnessed the leading armies employing great fleets of airplanes controlled by radio means. The United States army had progressed pretty far along this line when the armistice was declared. The same can be said for Germany. Now we learn that the French have demonstrated that five or six small and inexpensive bombing planes, without pilot, can be successfully guided by a "shepherd" in a larger plane through the means of Hertzian waves.—Scientific American.

Marriage Promotes Long Life.

Marriage, according to Doctor Schwartz of Berlin, is the most important factor of longevity. Of every 200 persons who reach the age of forty years, 125 are married and 75 unmarried. At sixty the proportions are 48 to 22; at 70 years, 27 to 11; and at ninety years, 9 to 8. Fifty centenarians had all been married.

WITHOUT NAILS OR RIVETS

New Scientific Method of Shipbuilding Seen in Construction of Vessel at Liverpool.

Can you imagine a ship without a nail or rivet in all its hull? Do you recollect the visit to the shipyards and the army of men nailing huge timbers to the skeleton frame of a ship? And, over in the next yard, the swarm of men hammering the white hot rivets in the great plates of a battle ship? One's imagination is stretched considerably to conjure a method by which all these workmen may have their toll reduced or eliminated. Yet this is today's development in the science of shipbuilding. The steamship Fullagar has just slid down the Liverpool ways without a nail or a rivet in its hull. From stem to stern the plates are electrically welded. The Fullagar is an oil driven cargo steamer of 500 tons. She is now undergoing final tests. Experts declare that she will not only stand all the tests required, but her success as an ocean carrier will revolutionize shipping. We may now calculate what a boon the electrical welding process will be if great armies of men have to be transported on the "bridge across the seas." Not only does this method release man power for other tasks, but it enables shipyards to turn out mighty steel ships within a short space of time.

COULD USE TOMATO SEEDS

Department of Agriculture Points Out How They May Be Made a Source of Revenue.

That much valuable material is being wasted annually by throwing away tomato seeds extracted in pulping, soup, catsup and canning plants is indicated by investigations made by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Department investigators have found that more than one thousand tons of seed are thrown away annually in northern tomato-pulping plants, with large enough output of seed to pay for shipping, and that they may be made into edible oil and stock food worth about \$66,000 (December, 1919). Cost of collecting and preparing the seed is estimated at about \$35,000, including all proper charges, and the cost of the necessary equipment is given at not to exceed \$50,000.

In addition the same plant, which would run not more than five months in the year, could be used for the handling of grape seeds and pumpkin seeds, which would distribute the overhead and cut down the cost of manufacture of the tomato-seed products.

Cavalrymen's Splendid Ride.

Col. Ezra B. Fuller, the author of a riding "anthology," has himself a notable achievement of endurance and manhood to his credit. During the Nez Percés campaign of 1877 Fuller, then second lieutenant of the Seventh cavalry, stationed on the north bank of the Yellowstone river, near Miles City, was ordered by General Miles to take five troopers with him and carry dispatches to General Sherman at Fort Ellis, Mont. Much of the trip had to be made running alongside of the horses, owing to the mountainous character of the country traversed and the almost impassable condition of the trails. The total distance covered was over 350 miles, which was made in four days and nineteen hours, without changing mounts.

The Domestic Optimist at Work.

"My husband has never spoken a cross word to me."
"Daughter is always at the head of her class, and she doesn't have to study a bit hard. She really seems to have more time to play than any of the other girls."
"I'm so glad you came, I assure you. One extra for dinner doesn't matter."
"So glad you called! I didn't care to go to the matinee, anyway."
"My husband could get a much larger salary by going with another house—in fact they are begging him to do it—but his present employers have treated him so nicely that he just won't leave them."
"Never mind breaking the vase—it was not one that I cared especially for."—From Life.

Women and Cats.

Women are like cats. If you move toward them they run away. But if you sit there and say "Puss, puss, puss," and put a saucer of milk on the floor, in due course they will be moved by curiosity to come and see what there is in the saucer. Then, click! you've got the cat by the back of the neck so that it can't scratch you. When the cat has struggled enough and discovered that it can't get away, and been tickled behind the ear, she'll sit on your lap and purr. And then, ah, then, you no longer need to say, "Puss, puss, puss!" You can say, "You damn cat!" and she'll go on sitting there, purring.—From "Caliban" by W. L. George.

For Launching Lifeboats Safely.

The hurried launching of lifeboats from disabled vessels is usually attended by confusion and danger. An Eastern shipyard worker has devised a new method of lowering the boats that carries them forty feet away from the ship's side, lays them on an ever keel, and gives them a forward impulse. The small boat, instead of hanging in davits, rests in a cradle supported by three parallel inclined arms, which are pivoted near the water line and guyed by cables attached above.

SUNDAY HALF A CENTURY AGO

Spirit and Letter of Commandment Both Thoroughly Obeyed in Western New York.

My mother was born and reared in a little country village in western New York. On the farm where my grandmother lived it was the custom to begin Sunday on Saturday night at sundown. The "hired man" came in from the chores, grandmother put away all her work in the kitchen, and then the entire family gathered in the "best room" and studied the Sunday-school lesson, or had a reading from the Bible, led by grandfather, and all the family retired not later than 9 o'clock.

In the morning, after doing none but the absolutely necessary chores on the farm, the team that had not been used the day before was hitched up to the big four-seated wagon and the entire family including the "hired" help, went to church. There was preaching service in the forenoon; and then we adjourned to a lunch for ourselves and the team. Then we went in to a Sunday-school service, and after an interval there was another preaching service, after which we hitched up and drove slowly back to the farm.

That was the way Sunday was kept in western New York a little more than 50 years ago. I can remember hearing my mother say that when she was a girl in this same New York state village, she was not allowed to walk except to the cemetery and back, on Sunday, and was not allowed to read any books except the Bible and "Fox's Book of Martyrs."—Christian Herald.

ROYAL PERSON WELL GARBED

Augustus of Poland Had Clothes Sufficient for Regiment—Also Had Other Idiosyncrasies.

Gentlemen of fashion today are mere paupers when it comes to attire, as compared to what King Augustus III of Poland deemed necessary to his comfort. He filled two great halls with clothes and had a special watch, snuff box, sword and cane for every one of his hundreds of suits. To go with them he also had 1,500 wigs. Five artists were kept busy painting miniatures of the clothing and keeping these paintings in a catalog that the king might select from each day as he rose.

He took the lovely countess of Cozelle as his wife, and the mere fact that she had a husband already mattered little. He appeared at her door one day with a horseshoe in one hand and a bag of 100,000 crowns in the other. The gold he tossed at her feet to demonstrate his wealth and generous instincts, and the horseshoe he broke with his bare hands to demonstrate his strength and determination. The lady, impressed, got rid of her husband at once, obtaining a divorce of the sort that allowed of remarriage. Suspicious historians have hinted that the horseshoe might have been filed a bit before the kingly hand tore it apart.

Carnegie's Hardest Bargain.

Andrew Carnegie, in his autobiography, which Houghton Mifflin company is publishing, tells of his first financial bargain. One of his chief enjoyments was the keeping of rabbits, and the pets naturally attracted the small boys of the neighborhood. "My first business venture was securing my companions' services for a season as an employer, the compensation being that the young rabbits, when such came, should be named after them. The Saturday holiday was generally spent by my flock in gathering food for the rabbits. My conscience reproves me today, looking back, when I think of the hard bargain I drove with my young playmates, many of whom were content to gather dandelions and clover for a whole season with me, conditioned upon this unique reward—the poorest return ever made to labor."

Old American Glass.

The Pennsylvania museum announces a find of old American glass. One thousand specimens have been dug up near Alloway, N. J. The field where the specimens were found was once the site of the old Wistar Glass works, founded nearly two hundred years ago by Caspar Wistar, who was of Austrian extraction and titled. The specimens found were for the most part fragments of bottle and window glass, of which there have not been many specimens until now. The museum is now making a study of the types of glass that were produced in the early days of Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The first glass to be manufactured in this country was that of a Virginia company located at Jamestown, but the first produced successfully was that of Alloway, then known as Wistarburg.

Girls Traveled Far in Wilderness.

Down the wild and ragged east shoreline of Lake Winnipeg, Manitoba, where not a farm nor a settlement breaks the desolation, two young women of eastern Canada recently rowed 200 miles in an open boat, taking a month for the trip and making their own camp every night. The collection of fossils, in which the region is rich, was the object of the remarkable journey. A lone Indian was the only human being sighted in the entire distance. The daring voyagers were deposited by a steamer at the mouth of the Berens river, about midway of the lake, and from that point were wholly dependent upon their own resources. — Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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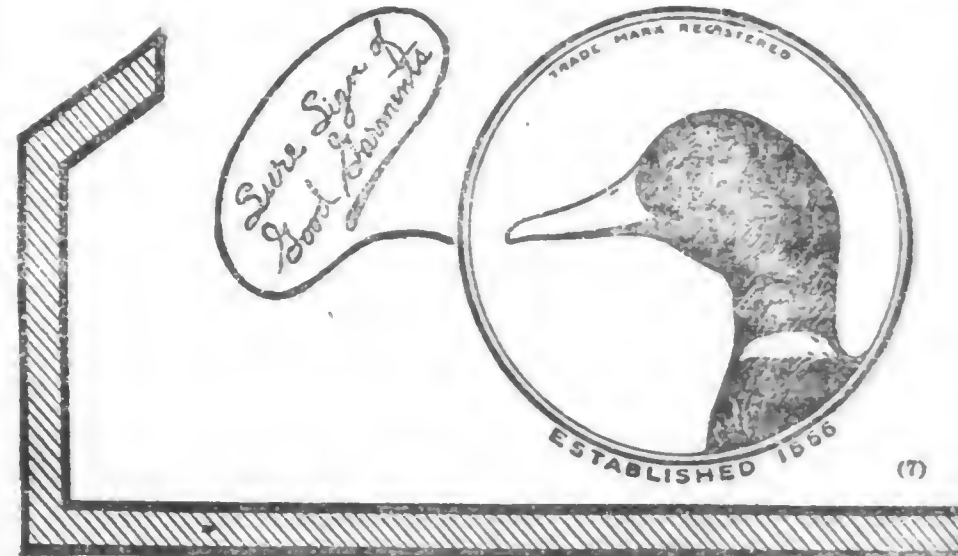
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NEW STORY ABOUT PILGRIMS

Writers Claim Early Settlers in America Were Kidnaped From the London Virginia Company.

Some historians, notably Azell Ames, who has compiled "The Mayflower and Her Log" from original sources, assert that the skipper of the Mayflower was Capt. Thomas Jones, a rough seadog who had led a more or less piratical career on the high seas. Between Capt. Jones and Sir Ferdinando Gorges and doubtless Weston, they allege that a plot existed whereby the Pilgrims were deliberately stolen from the London Virginia company and planted on territory outside of the Virginia grant. The maneuvering about Cape Cod, according to this interpretation, was simply a part of the plot to discourage the Pilgrims from settling near the Hudson, as evidently they intended when they left Holland.

The exact identity of "Master Jones" is not clear. Historians of the Massachusetts Historical society say that the skipper was one Christopher Jones, a trustworthy man, entirely different from Capt. Thomas Jones, who was known to have a checkered career during his voyages to Virginia and other colonies. The course of American colonial history may have been greatly changed when the Pilgrims encountered the shoals and unfavorable winds off Cape Cod, but this bit of destiny can be easily exaggerated. It is sufficient here to relate that the Pilgrim colony was founded outside the jurisdiction of the London Virginia company.

PRODUCES COTTON IN COLORS

Southerner Has Succeeded in Growing Green and Brown and Is Experimenting on Black.

A. W. Brabham has submitted to the Cotton exchange of Savannah four samples of colored cotton—light brown, dark brown, light green and dark green. They are the results of years of experimentation. Mr. Brabham says that other colors will appear when a number of cotton plants in his garden that are not yet fully grown begin to bear.

The botanist has not yet been able to produce black cotton, but he says he will do so in time. It would have appeared this year, he contends, if a package of the seeds of a blue-tinted cotton, mailed to him by a botanist in Delhi, India, had not gone astray. Mr. Brabham has sent for another package of these seeds, and he is convinced that if he crosses them with certain of the cottons he has already grown the result will be black.

Luther Burbank once told Mr. Brabham that he would produce black cotton for a million dollars. Mr. Brabham replied that he thought he could do it more cheaply, and thereupon started his experiments.

Process of Becoming Convinced. Every day he called her over the telephone.

Every day she refused to see him. But his experience with women had taught him to understand their coquetry, and he knew that her refusal was not sincere.

One morning when he telephoned she said that she would be glad to see him, but she was engaged for the day.

The next morning she was sorry to have to miss him again, but she did not have a minute free.

And the next day she wished that he had telephoned sooner, for she had just made an engagement. Would he please call again?

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Canada to Allot Land to Eskimos.

It is announced from Ottawa that the Canadian government has decided to reserve for the remnant of the Eskimos a small part of the territory over which they formerly ranged at will in the varying pursuits of fishing and hunting, says the New York Evening Mail. The reservation is to consist of Banks and Victoria Islands, north of the vast region, wide as the continent, known as Northwest territory, and far north of the Arctic circle.

From this reservation, and apparently the waters immediately adjacent to it, white hunters are to be excluded; and those who have begun operations on Banks Island will be ousted. Thus the resources needed to sustain Eskimo life will be preserved.

Welsh Belief in Witchcraft.

Witchcraft in Wales is still in existence, as was shown recently by a case which was tried at the Glamorgan assizes. A Welsh farmer and his family, who were suffering from a skin disease, sent for a local wise woman, believing they were all cursed. The woman pronounced the family bewitched, and prescribed for a fee of \$610 a small charm made of wood and cinders. Other instances of the same woman's exploits were mentioned, when for amounts varying from \$500 to \$1,500 she demonstrated her powers among credulous folk.

Wife Took Up Husband's Duties.

When the forest lookout on Tahquitz peak, in the San Jacinto district, California, was incapacitated this fall Mrs. Reinhold, wife of the district ranger, donned khaki, loaded blankets and grub on a horse, and took over his duties, holding the lookout post for more than a week. This is one of the incidents reported to the United States Department of Agriculture through the forest service.

The Party of the People.

If the Democratic party would learn one lesson as the result of its recent disastrous defeat that lesson is that it must depend upon the people and not the interests to elect its candidate for the Presidency.

The only States the Democrats have any reasonable hope of carrying are those States in which the people, and not the interests, control. Those in which the interests, or, by another name, Big Business, are in the saddle have, almost without exception, been found voting for the Republican candidate for the Presidency, and they always will be found voting for the Republican candidate, whoever he may be.

We can recall the promises held out by the supporters of Governor Cox during the days when he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency. They said that if he was nominated he was not only sure to carry Ohio, but that he was equally certain to carry New York and New Jersey and possibly Illinois. That belief upon their part was based on Governor's supposed "wet" tendencies and the fact that he was said to be close to Boss Nugent, of New Jersey; Boss Murphy, of New York, and Boss Brennan, of Illinois, all of whom supported him at the San Francisco convention.

Largely upon this belief, Governor Cox was nominated, and when the election was held, the returns showed that he was not only beaten in those States, but he was overwhelmed in each of them. The State that Boss Murphy was to deliver to the Democratic party gave Senator Harding a popular majority of over a million votes. The State that Boss Brennan was to swing for Governor Cox added another eight hundred thousand to Mr. Harding's majority, while Boss Nugent's State, smaller than the other two, went four hundred thousand for the Republican Presidential nominee. These three States not only went Republican, but their majorities were twice or three times as large in proportion to the number of votes as many States in the central and far West, in which Governor Cox had no special strength, and in which no particular reliance was placed when he was nominated.

The News is not disposed to criticize Governor Cox's nomination, but it cannot be denied that through it, in centering the party's hope upon the States dominated by Big Business, the Democratic party forfeited any special strength that it might have gained from the farming States of the West, without being compensated in the smallest measures in the East.

In this regard it was a repetition of the excursion which the Democratic party took in the Parker campaign of 1904. The party in that year, discouraged by the decisive defeats of Mr. Bryan in 1896 and 1900, permitted the political pendulum to swing to the other extreme and, abandoning its fight for the progressive vote in the West, nominated a reactionary Democrat in the hope that he would carry the East. The result was that Parker was worse beaten than any man who had ever been a

candidate for the Presidency up to that time.

The result of that election would seem to have been chart enough to guide the party in the future, but in 1916 the way was made even more clear. In that year, with the Democratic party in the ascendancy, in control of both branches of Congress, and with its magnificent record in construction, President Wilson, an Eastern man himself, was the nominee and yet in that campaign he did not carry a doubtful state East of the Mississippi River except Ohio and New Hampshire, Illinois. New York and New Jersey, as per custom, gave enormous majorities against the Democratic nominee and Mr. Wilson's election was accomplished only by the marvelous appeal which his candidacy made to the people of the West. If the Democratic party had relied upon the East in that campaign President Wilson would have been as badly defeated as Governor Cox.

With this political history fresh in our minds, how fatuous it was for the Democratic party to base its hope of success in this campaign upon the nomination of a man to carry the states of Big Business. What an iridescent dream! The result is no

more than might have been expected.

To win the election in 1924 or 1926, or any other year, the Democratic party must make its appeal to the people and not to the interests. It must nominate a man, not because of his friendship for the party bosses in Illinois, New Jersey and New York, but rather its candidate should be a man like President Wilson who is opposed to those bosses and to whom those bosses are alike opposed. That is the only type of man that can appeal to the great masses of the people of this country, and in those masses lies Democracy's only hope.

That is the only type of candidate that the Democratic Party has ever won the Presidency within the last twenty years and that is the only type that it will ever win the Presidency with.

It is a long time until the next campaign but our people should remember the lessons of the recent election and not be deceived by any illusory hopes held out or false promises made in the next.

No party can win in any election when it departs from its cardinal principles and the cardinal principal of Democracy is "The rule of the people."

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We do not think that any Democrat could have been elected President this year, but 1924 is another day and our chances must not be destroyed by nominating a man whose chief dependence for victory rests upon the states controlled by political bosses in league with Big Business. To nominate such a man would be to accept defeat in advance.—E-Town News.

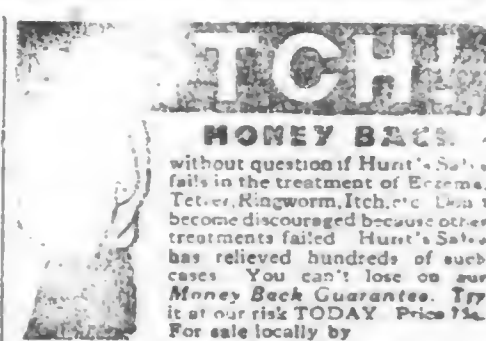
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The News believes in sending election thieves to the penitentiary to prevent a recurrence of what happened in the Eleventh District, and if there are any Democratic election thieves send them to the penitentiary also.

Experts have figured that it costs \$100 to outfit a college football player. Any gridiron fan will say that's cheap.

The election returns will confine Democratic orators during the next two years to "viewing with alarm."

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A dispatch from from Pineville, Bell county, shows conclusively how Senator Beckham was defeated. The tactics used in Bell county were evidently practiced in other mountain counties. The only way to stop this thievery is, in future State elections, have guards placed at the polls, at the expense of the Democratic party, they to be clothed with authority to make arrests of parties who endeavor to practice frauds. "Interesting disclosures have been made here of some of the alleged fraudulent and illegal practices uncovered by agents of the Department of Justice which helped roll up the abnormal republican majority in the eleventh district. Following preliminary work a request was made for a special crew of investigators and these are expected daily. Their work probably will be of six or seven weeks duration. Various illegalities have been found in the preliminary probe. In scores of precincts persons were voted who never went close to the polls. Many aliens and persons under age were voted. In one instance the wife of an election officer was on the poll book as having voted. She signed an affidavit to the effect that she did not go to the polls. A naturalization certificate belonging to a Greek was changed in an effort to hide his identity after he had voted. It was revealed that a man in one of the Harlan mining camps was paid \$50 a day for trucks in which he hauled laborers from voting place to voting place. In one voting place 1114 votes were cast and the tally sheets show that only five of the number were valid. Harding received 972 and Cox 142.

Jacob L. Hamon, Republican National Committeeman from Oklahoma, who was shot in a hotel at Ardmore last Sunday night week. He lived until Thursday morning following. His manager claims that the shot was accidental, but there is a female in the case and a warrant has been issued for a woman named Smith. Hamon was one of the big four at the Chicago Convention and was with A. T. Hert, of Louisville, in bringing about Senator Hardings nomination.

Mrs. Desha Breckinridge, one of Kentucky's most prominent women, died at her home, in Lexington, last Thursday morning, following a stroke of apoplexy. She was the wife of Desha Breckinridge, editor of the Lexington Herald. She was a great niece of Henry Clay, and 48 years old. She is a leader among women, and during the last national campaign made a number of speeches, in different States, in the interest of the Democratic ticket.

West Point, Miss.

Nov. 26th, 1920.

Editor News:

Your kindly mention in last issue of the interest some of my friends still manifest in me is appreciated and also understood as an invitation for another report from this part of the country from me. I have just finished reading the News and for fear I may do as I have done for several months I am now meeting demand. Many times I have intended to write but just allowed other matters to intervene. In fact writing is somewhat a habit and I have lost the habit since it ceased to be an actual requirement of me. The vivid hues of autumn foliage now spread as a mantle over this section and point to bleak days of approaching winter, but far shorter and milder than the many I spent on Burton Ridge.

We have had and are still having ideal autumn weather with only a few days when overcoats were enjoyed. Our first frost of any consequence occurred about two weeks ago and gave us pork weather and also pork.

Since my last communication to the News many things have happened within the realm of the U. S. A., to make the year 1920 a memorable one—one full of achievements and also overflowing with disappointments. The National political battle, intense as it was in many parts of the country, did not disturb the peace and quietude in old Mississippi. We had no contentions, no discussions and not a political speech in this part and as a result no sore spots, no bruises nor wounds to heal. The verdict was not to our liking, but accepted as courteously as if it had been to our order. I have been present and witnessed the returns from State and National elections in old Virginia, Kentucky and Mississippi, and I am compelled to say that the most orderly gathering of this kind I ever attended, was in our City Hall on the evening of the 2nd of this month. The hall was crowded and every bulletin was flashed on the board, some good, but many otherwise, and the only applause was hand clapping. I enjoyed it, but I could not keep from thinking of the difference here and in my old home town, or at least as it was prior to my departure.

You made a splendid and honorable effort in support of your party and I felt proud of every issue—just to the party and principles it has supported from its first issue and fair and courteous to the opposition as well. I am out of bitter political party contests and I am truly glad. I have had enough of it to satisfy me the rest of my life. I do not hold to the theory that parties must be close in voting power to secure good government or to cleanse each other. Too often in the field of close partisan political activity fraud of the most heinous kind shows up rather than means of honesty and fair dealing. Too often one click out clicks the other click and brings no relief from bad political conditions. In this state our battles are fought in the primary and no one with less than a majority of the votes cast can receive a nomination. It often happens that a second run is made to determine this where more than two are

contestants in the first. This is majority rule, it is democratic, it is honest. Enough on this line.

The year's harvests have been garnered and the balance sheet shows bad to nearly all agricultural sections. The high cost of living is not now a disturbing factor for Old Mr. Decline is getting in his licks fast and furious. The rosy tints for agricultural reward, that prompted in the greatest production of staple crops, have faded and all sections alike are facing discouraging prices. Cotton as well as other farm commodities, is still on the downward road and may yet reach a ten cent bottom, but when the mills open for it and our foreign market can be reached, we expect a rebound in prices that will be far more attractive. Hay seems to be holding better than any other farm production. Alfalfa is worth from \$25 to \$28 F. O. B., and Johnson from \$15 to \$17 per ton. These prices still carry a splendid net profit, while cotton and other things show over the left. Our best land will easily make four tons of alfalfa per acre any average season and the first cutting reaches the market in May. If every acre of this prairie was producing alfalfa we would still have a market for it all. Compared to the great stretch of consuming territory the alfalfa acreage is only a moderate meadow and it ought to all be producing this fine hay. Diversified farming is coming to the front as fast as could be expected in this country. Cotton, of course, is the leading crop, and over shadows all others, but it can't hold its position under the circumstances and with so many good farmers from the Northern states locating here. The average man from states north is not cotton enthusiasts, and they are planting other crops as well. But little corn is planted compared to cotton, and yet the Government estimate for the state is nearly sixty-five million bushels for this year. I predict that it will double in 1921 and that cotton will fall 50 per cent. under present acreage. Unfortunately, I am not in the hay business, but I expect to put the alfalfa seed to many acres next spring and encourage Mr. Johnson to do his best as well. Alfalfa sown in the spring will give two cuttings so it is not an expensive seeding as it will more than clear its self the first season. Not many farms have been sold in the last few months, but our best lands are holding firm in prices and when this depression passes will be in demand. We are indeed fortunate in the fact that our best land has never reached one third the price of similar lands in the Northern states, and will out produce them under similar treatment.

This being true they will just as soon as this wave of readiness subsides and we will get what we so much need a large number of real farmers. I am still a believer in the "Sunny South". I still believe that the black belt, the prairie, the alfalfa land of Mississippi is one of the best spots in the entire country and when it receives its proper share of intelligent white farmers, when its full powers are producing the different grains, hay, stock and other profitable crops as well as cotton that no other section will

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some time with my friends in Adair. I think of them often and wish they were here and pleasantly located but Adair is a good county and a splendid place to place to live as well as here. I rejoice with those who rejoice over the building of a road to Gradyville and sigh with those who weep over the outlook for the other sections.

I hope that Adair county will prove an oil field of great value. It seems that it is being tested under the inspiration of confidence. Our rig is up and drilling will start in the near future. We may be as greasy as any spot

in the country in a few months. With best of wishes for The News, Adair county and all its interests and inviting my friends to visit us. I am still the same old boy as of days gone by.

C. S. Harris.

It is almost certain that Governor Morrow will call an extra session of the Legislature. This call will be made as soon as Congress which meets next Monday, passes the bill establishing the unit of apportionment under the census of 1920. It is believed that Kentucky will not be entitled to another Congressman.

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Additional Personals.

Judge W. W. Jones, wife and daughter, returned from Louisville Sunday night. The Judge had his left arm, which he had almost lost the use of, treated by a specialist. The ligaments were broken and he now has better use of it. He thinks as soon as he gets over the soreness, caused by the treatment, it will be all right.

Mr. G. B. Smith and Mr. J. T. Goodman, who were in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma last week, prospecting, returned home Saturday night. Mr. Smith did not buy land and neither did Mr. Goodman. However, Mr. Goodman selected a location in Oklahoma and he will return shortly for the purpose of spending the winter and the first of the coming spring. He likes the climate.

Dr. L. F. Page, wife and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Dr. R. I. Blakeman and wife, all of Indianapolis, are at the home of their uncle, Mr. J. T. Page, this week.

Mrs. A. T. Lowe has been quite sick for several days. She and her husband have apartments in the brick occupied by Mr. J. B. Watson and wife.

Mr. W. E. McWhorter and wife, Mannsville, Taylor county, arrived here last Saturday, on a visit. Mrs. McWhorter, before her marriage, was Miss Ethel Moore.

Mrs. Geo. E. Wilson spent last Saturday at Campbellsville.

Mr. J. F. Shaw, Nashville, was here Saturday, meeting his many friends and taking orders.

Miss Allene Edens, of Bakerton, niece of Mrs. Dallas Goff, who visited here last week, returned home Monday.

Miss Ruth Hynes, spent Thanksgiving with her brother, Strother, at Center College, Danville.

Miss Katie Murrell was quite sick the latter part of last week. She was ready for her duties at the Lindsey-Wilson Monday morning.

Mrs. J. W. Walker, of Okeene, Okla., who has been delicate for some time, was reported quite sick last week.

Mrs. Kirby Smith and little daughter, Cave City, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Smith's father, Eld. Z. T. Williams.

Mr. Herman Barnett and little daughter, Nancy, of Chicago, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Barnett's home people.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Taylor were in Louisville the latter part of last week, purchasing Christmas supplies.

Mrs. Travis Keene visited her old home in Cumberland county last week.

Miss Mary Miller returned from a Louisville sanitarium last week and has been getting along finely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Feese spent Thanksgiving with their son Mr. R. Mont Feese, of Somerset.

Mr. John Jeffries, who has been farming near Champaign, Ill., returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Johnson, of Louisville, mother of Miss Dorothy Johnson, teacher of Music in Lindsey-Wilson, visited here last week.

Ella.

After an absence of several weeks will write again.

An infant child, six weeks old, of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McQueary was found dead in bed last Monday morning. It was buried Tuesday at Jerico.

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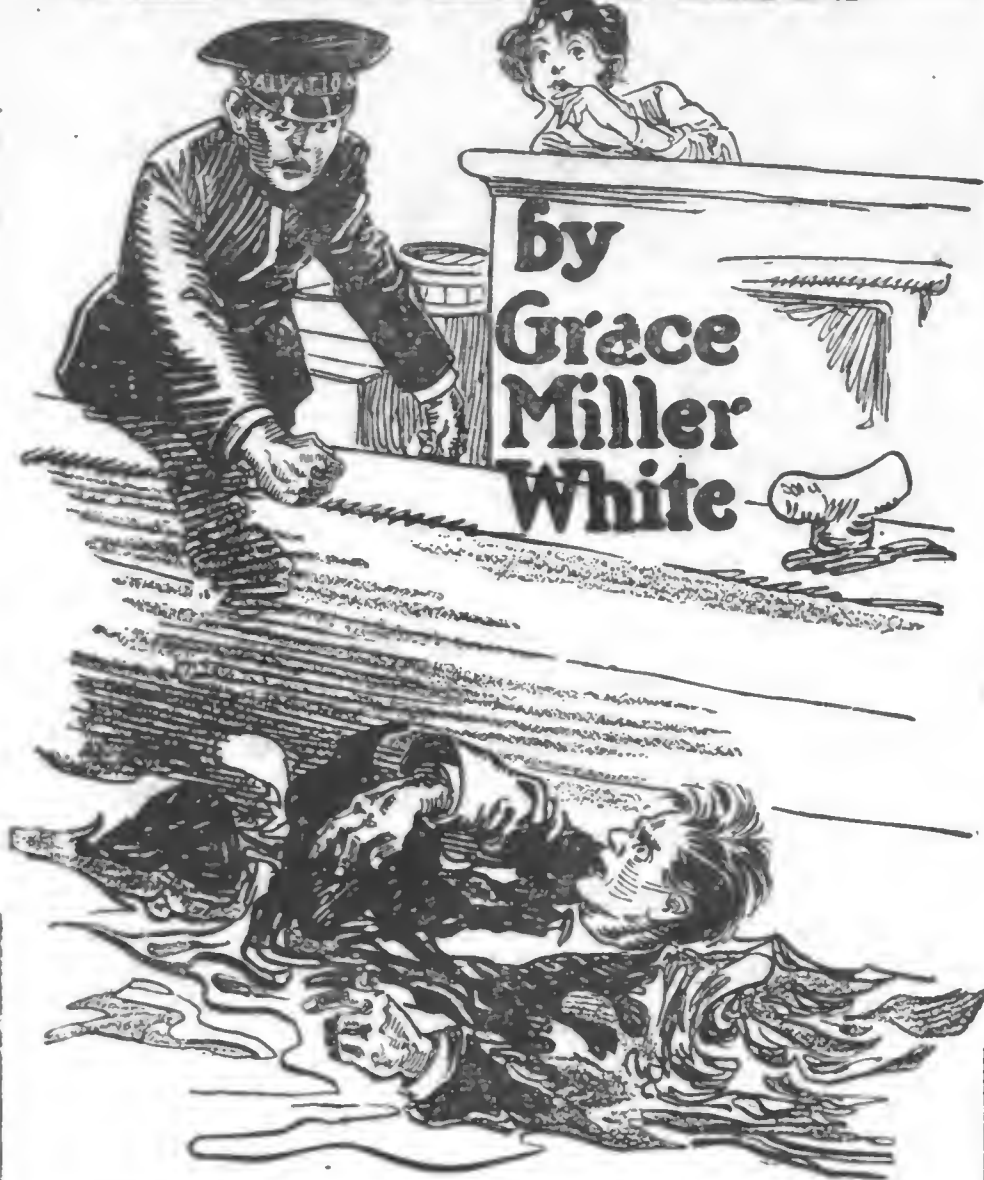


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Don't Fail to Read It!

The "Bolshevik Cocktail."
From the American Red Cross Bulletin of Russia: "Helsingfors.—You can tell a prohibition country by the weird and awful drinks they drink. Take Finland for example. There they take vodka, 90 per cent, made from potatoes, not from grains, mix it with blue or huckleberry juice water. In the ratio of one to ten, and gulp down the result. It's the only way to get it down; to sip would be to give up altogether, both on account of the strength and the odor. American Red Cross dispensaries working with the Russian refugees use vodka under spirit lamps in place of alcohol.
"Near the border one gets the 'Bolshevik cocktail.' This is a combination of kerosene, vodka and other. They run automobiles on it in Soviet Russia, as gasoline is not to be had. The job of chauffeur is much sought after."

Paper Umbrella Out Soon.
An unusual novelty will be placed on the market soon in the form of a paper umbrella, the New York Sun states. It is said that this newfangled rain shelter will be a very satisfactory substitute for the traditional alpacas or silk. It will retail for 50 cents, thereby cutting the cost of umbrellas down to a sum that should be considered distinctly nominal these days of the \$8 and \$10 variety.
The color of the new umbrella will be black and the paper of a composition absolutely waterproof and crackless. It will have a steel frame, wooden knob handle and a ring at the lower end of the "stick." Those in charge of the manufacture of the novelty say it will be durable and that it will roll as small as a silk one.

Nothing on Her.
An aristocratic lady gave a dinner party during the waiters' strike in New York. A young girl of the type known as buxom waited on the table. She seemed quiet and unobtrusive, and was efficient. After the dinner was over, the hostess said she would sign the check. When she had written her name she turned to the waitress and said: "Perhaps I should tell you that I am Mrs. Blank, so there will be no mistake. My handwriting is rather illegible."

The waitress picked up the check, glanced at the signature, and said: "Well, dearie, you ain't got nothing on me!"

Public Benefactor Dead.
Adam Duncan, fellow of the Royal Horticultural society, who has just died in England at the age of 80, is said to have been largely responsible for the introduction of the tomato as an edible fruit. The tomato had long been grown for decorative purposes, but Mr. Duncan, by means of hybridization, evolved it from its crinkled, woolly state to the smooth-skinned fruit.

HAS AN IDEA SON WAS RIGHT
Circumstances Brought Wife of United States Senator to Acquiesce in Youth's Philosophy.

Senator Miles Poindexter, from the state of Washington, used to live on a ranch.

One hot day he was in the garden weeding onions, when Mrs. Poindexter came across her eleven-year-old son Gale comfortably ensconced on the front porch enjoying the cool shade and a good book.

"Why, Gale," she cried, "aren't you ashamed of yourself to sit here and read while your poor father is out there working in all that heat? Go and help him this minute!"

"Aw, mother," protested Gale, "I can't be bothered with weeding onions. Besides, I've got an engagement to go swimming at 11 o'clock."

About an hour later Mrs. Poindexter heard a low whistle from the onion patch, and before she could take in its significance father and son had disappeared down the hill in the direction of the swimming hole.

In telling the story Mrs. Poindexter said: "I don't know but what Gale's philosophy was the best. Today as a young naval officer he is sailing the high seas; while his father—well! his father is still weeding onions!"

Valuable Counterfeit.
A strange counterfeit turned up at a Washington bank recently—queer because it was a bogus \$5 gold coin and worth about eight times as much as the genuine because it is made of platinum.

The spurious coin was made about fifty years ago and bears the date of 1860. Musty archives of the secret service contain a record of the species and the case is marked "closed." The coins were made in Maine and came to the notice of the Treasury department when the scion of a wealthy family took a quantity of them from a safety deposit box containing heirlooms and put them in circulation. All known specimens were confiscated by the secret service and it was not known until now that others were still in circulation.

Great Baby Shrinkage.
Doctor Johnson's dictum that "births at all times bear the same proportion to the same number of people" looks rather like a wide shot in the presence of a row of figures just published by the Cambridge University Press. These figures occur in the report of a paper read by Mr. G. Udy Yule, M. A., at the university, and they show that in England and Wales the annual birth rate per thousand has been halved in the last 40 years. In the light of this comparison the present baby boom in London leaves us still far behind our grandfathers in the art of stretching the population. In the world-competition for posterity Serbia stands first and Australia last, with England last but one.—Montreal Herald.

The Average Hair Crop.
The Bible tells us that the hairs of our head are numbered, but it does not tell us even the approximate number to a square inch.
But some one has figured this out for us. He counted the hairs in a square inch on many heads.
On the average head there are a thousand hairs to each square inch. Find out the number of square inches in your scalp and you will soon know the approximate number of hairs on it.

We are also told that four hairs will suspend a one-pound weight. Therefore an average head of hair should be able to support the combined weight of two hundred people. Don't try it.—Popular Science Monthly.

THESE SILKS NEED NO DYE

Louisiana Man Has Discovered Method of Making the Worms Color Their Own Product.

While the silkworm has no fancy for any particular color, preferring to weave its cocoon of a drab gray so that it will not show against a gray tree trunk, one man has discovered a method whereby he can make the little spinners produce any one of the 18 shades at his pleasure. The man is Dr. Vartan K. Osgian, son of a long line of silk manufacturers, and he has an extensive silkworm farm near New Orleans.

Osgian has discovered that upon feeding the worms certain leaves they will respond by spinning certain colors. He has carried out his experiments until he has the 18 varieties of food to produce the like number of colors. The silk thus shaded will not fade in either water or sunlight. Not only has he secured colored silk, but in addition he has increased the cocoon in size until a single one provides 1,800 yards to a strand, and there are two strands to a cocoon.

VAGUE ABOUT "RED" LEADERS

But Young Bolshevik Soldier Had Heard of Trotsky, and Incidentally of Lenin.

I have just had a talk with a Bolshevik soldier, captured by the Poles when he was participating in a bold scouting enterprise. He is a young man twenty-one years old, coming from one of the interior departments of Russia. He is illiterate and a confirmed Bolshevik.

Discipline, he said, was very good in the Bolshevik army; still they did not obey orders because they were orders, but "as a matter of conscience." The military forms of address had been abolished and even the officers were spoken to as comrades. Naturally the soldiers stand at attention before their officers; but that was because every soldier in the army follows the bidding of his conscience and "it would be foolish" not to stand at attention before one's commander.

He had never seen a general or any of the higher officers, but he knew the commander in chief was called Trotsky, and that there was another head man. He pondered a moment trying to recall who the second one was, and then suddenly remembered, "Lenine." He knew nothing more about him and did not know the names of any other commander.

He kept saying "Everyone on our side is a Bolshevik," and seemed to be impressed with the great power and authority of the Bolsheviks. When asked who Trotsky was he replied, "A very popular Jew." "The Jews are much liked in the army. They never allow themselves to be captured. They hate the Poles so, and the Poles hate them so—and invariably murder them—that they prefer suicide to being made prisoners."—From the Vossische Zeitung (Berlin).

Do not throw away the carcass of a turkey. Cover it well with water and cook for twelve hours, a fireless cooker being good for this purpose. It will yield a meat stock that is excellent for sauces of several sorts.

Premier Venizelos' Defeat.

The defeat of Premier Venizelos, in the elections in Greece, marks the fourth of the great world leaders during the war to be repudiated by his home people.

The first was Premier Orlando, of Italy, whose ministry fell, a victim of the discontent and misery which affected his subjects.

The Clemenceau ministry was always able to subdue the opposition that several times threatened its existence but the hardy old Premier was decisively beaten in his recent race for the Presidency of France.

President Wilson, who guided America through the war, and was its spokesman at the Peace Conference, was repudiated by his countrymen both in the elections of 1918 and 1920.

And now comes Venizelos, generally regarded as one of the ablest minds at Versailles, who meets the same fate at the hands of the people he has been serving.

Surely there was none who did so much for Italy as Orlando; who had a greater part in France's victory than Clemenceau; who lent character and weight to Greece's aspirations more than Venizelos; who could have led America better than Wilson, and yet each of them at the close of a great struggle, to which every impulse of their heart and mind was dedicated is cast out by an unmindful people. Truly "Republics are ungrateful."

Brass Tubing in Stomach.

Two pieces of brass tubing, one measuring eight inches in length and the other seven inches and both a quarter of an inch in circumference; an "eight-penny" nail, a hair pin and a comb, were among articles removed from the stomach of a woman patient at a Cincinnati hospital by Dr. Stanley G. Zinke, Leverone Building, West Seventh street, Monday morning by means of a sergical operation.

The woman, Dr. Zinke said, she had periods of mental depression, and recently complained of pains in her stomach. An X-ray photographer revealed the cause and an operation followed.

The patient is now on the road to health, said Dr. Zinke.

One of the reforms which the Republicans promise to accomplish, and to which there should be no opposition, is the reduction in the number of Government employees. There are now approximately 740,000 persons on the Government pay rolls, against 340,000 before the war. At least half of the increase should be lopped off. There are so many Department clerks in Washington that they get in each other's way, and many of them find it hard to discover sufficient duties to make any respectable pretense of work. Of course, a great deal of additional work is entailed by some of the post-war measures—the collection of new taxes for instance—but there is no occasion for keeping 75,000 clerks in Washington, when there were only 25,000 before the war, and 100,000 at the busiest time during the war.

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IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:

"Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so lifeless I could hardly go at all.

"I was just no account for work. I would get a bucket of water and would feel so weak I would have to set it down before I felt like I could lift it to the shelf. In this condition, of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.

"I was . . . nervous and easily upset.

I couldn't rest well at night and was . . . just lifeless.

"I heard of Cardui and after reading I decided I had some female trouble that was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui and began it . . .

"In a very short while after I began the Cardui Home Treatment I saw an improvement and it wasn't long until I was all right—good appetite, splendid rest, and much stronger so that I easily did my house work.

"Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic. I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and sickness."

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Watch for It!

Darktown Dialogue.

Look heah, Ephriham. I sees yoh, Ezra. Is yoh all familar wid de gentle art ob osculation? Hey? I means toh say, does yoh all know ennything 'bout kissin'? Yassah, I ketched de mumps dat way w'en I wus young. What would yoh do ef a girl insisted on kissin' yoh ovah de telephone? I'd ask for a bettah connection Does yoh know w'at kissin' voah de telephone remin's me ob? Nossah. It remin's me ob havin' a six bits on my min' when ev'rybody else in de crap game am shootin' real money.

"Say, Joe, you ought to huck up and show you wife whose running things at your house." Henpeck (sadly)—"It isn't necessary. She knows."—London Answer.

The Woman's Department in the Southeastern Fair at Atlanta suffered for the lack of room. Beautiful club exhibits in booths were so cramped for ample space that they did not reveal their real worth. The Fine Arts Department also suffered for lack of room and facilities for lighting the wonderful collection gathered by Mrs. E. W. More, the Superintendent.

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Latest News Notes.

The United States government report says the big production of coal has relieved the shortage scare and is forcing the price down.

A Woman's Democratic League has been formed in Louisville with 600 members to aid the city Democratic campaign next year.

The baseball war has ended by all parties leaving all disputes to Judge Landis by an agreement to abide by his findings and for him to become the head of all the baseball leagues.

Lenine having captured Sebastopol expects to take Constantinople and overrun Turkey but the British ships on the Black Sea are preventing any communication between Russia and Turkey.

Gypsy Smith closed his meeting in Louisville Sunday night. There were 15,000 conversions. The tabernacle was paid for and a free will offering of more than \$6,000 was presented to evangelist.

In Louisville for the last year of the saloon there were 7,000 arrests for drunkenness and drunken disorderly conduct while under the first dry year there have been only 1,000 arrests for these offenses.

Marching on foot, General Pershing led First division veterans in an Armistice Day pageant at Camp Dix, New Jersey.

Carl Johnson, 17, has been arrested at Alameda, Kan., after he shot and seriously wounded a woman and her daughter, stating he had been hired to do it.

Miss Alice Robertson, only woman of next congress, wants to place silk stockings and cigarettes under the ban.

At Marshall, Texas, a 4-year-old child perished when the house caught on fire in an effort to save a younger sister.

Great Britain is planning to have a greater navy than was anticipated last year, according to reports from English seaports and financial centers.

New York clothing manufacturers state they will close their plants until such a time as the workmen agree.

Burglars robbed the First National Bank of Louisville, Pa., of \$25,000 mostly in Liberty Bonds in safety vault boxes.

Shelves in the Shelves.

If you haven't a modern kitchen cabinet there is no reason why you should not have neat shelving conveniently near to your stove and work table in the kitchen. You will find them very convenient for holding your spices, salt, coffee, sugar, etc. They will save at least 25 per cent. of the steps you are compelled to take in preparing the average meal. The men on the farms like to do nice little jobs like this on bad days, which keep them otherwise idle. Have them put up some near your work table and stove and over the sink.

Following our snake story which we borrowed from Rev. Pat Davis a citizen of Cedar Creek told us that a cow snake had been killed in his neighborhood with a lump on it and when cut open a china nest egg was found which the snake had swallowed by mistake.

Big Newspaper has no Press.

There is a newspaper in New York without presses, with a staff of several thousand reporters, no city editor, no linotypers, no compositors, and not a single paid employee, and its circulation is one copy. It requires no delivery and costs even its admirers nothing. It has been in existence for the last twenty years. The jumble of Chinese characters that are written on red paper and then pasted on the walls along Mott street is it.

When a news story "breaks" the first person who learns of the story gets out his brush and red paper and writes it, or rather draws it, on the red sheets, or anything else that may be handy, even the bate walls during the present paper shortage, and pastes it up for the neighbors' benefit. If his story is authentic, it is said, the informer is permitted to paste an advertisement of his wares beside it. It is the official organ of Chinatown, and holds the attention of crowds of the Orientals.—Detroit News.

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Three Banks Robbed.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Nov. 20.—Robbers early today pried open a rear window and entered the First National Bank, blew the door from the vault, opened a small steel safe and escaped with \$1,000 in silver. They also carried away a number of safety deposit boxes, the contents of which will not be known until they are checked up.

Louis Gabhart and Kyle Watkins, sleeping over the bank, hearing the noise below, shot from the window at one man who appeared to be standing guard. He returned their fire and with the rest of the band fled. Apparently, they had an automobile nearby, although the machine was not in view.

The number of participants in the robbery are not known but there were believed to be three or four. Poses are searching the country today.

Keep always near the laundry door a long-sleeved, thick sweater that will button up snugly about the throat, a woolen cap or hood for the head, a pair of cotton gloves that can be pulled off and on quickly, and do not forget a pair of storm rubbers. The heat of the laundry makes one perspire freely, and colds would be fewer among those doing the washing if they would take a little time to wrap up well before leaving the laundry to hang out the clothes. A little time taken here may mean the saving of a number of days in bed, or at least being made uncomfortable for several days by a cold.

Rubber shoes, boots and raincoats. 3-4c Nell & Cheatham.

Laugh it Off.

If the weather looks like rain, Laugh it off
When you feel you must complain, Laugh it off.
Do not sit and nurse your fears, Waste no time in useless tears, Put your faith in smiles and cheers, Laugh it off.
If men say you're looking ill, Laugh it off.
Should they recommend a pill, Laugh it off.
Doctors, druggists and disease Want to do just as they please, Often you can save the fees, Laugh it off.
If life seems to go dead wrong, Laugh it off,
Drown your sorrow in a song, Laugh it off.
Do your work with smiling face, Look ahead and keep the pace, Be a winner in the race, Laugh it off.

—Kansas City Star.

If the bowels do not act regularly, assist them with an occasional dose of Herbine. It is a good bowel tonic and laxative. Price 60c. Sold by Paul Drug Co. Adv.

TWO IN WESTERN KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Nov. 20.—Two bank robberies in addition to that at Harrodsburg, were reported to the Kentucky Bankers Association here today. At Auburn, Logan county, a hole was burned thru the vault door of the Bank of W. C. Davison and Company, last night. All securities, however had been placed in a large safe which was not opened, and the robbers secured nothing.

At Allentown, Todd county, the same method was employed to enter the Bank of Allentown Tuesday night. Robbers looted 21 safety deposit boxes and got away with \$20,000 in securities, about \$800 of which is negotiable \$2,000 in postage and war savings stamps was taken from the postmaster's box.

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Scores Modern City as Edition of Paganism.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 18.—"A modern city is a new edition of paganism."

This characterization was made by Rev. John F. Grimes, local Methodist Episcopal clergyman, sermonizing on "The World Confusion in the Present Hour."

"There is no Sabbath," he continued.

"The show houses are crowded and the churches neglected."

"Commercialism has crowded the churches to the suburbs and the ranting agitator raves from a soap box on the corner where the church stood. 'The immigrant of today comes only to capitalize for himself whatever America has to offer and has no sympathy for our laws and our institutions.'"

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With its wonderful, reliable power, it brings to the farm home all the conveniences in the way of running water in the house, electric lights, operation of the washing machine, churning, separating the cream from the milk; it assumes and takes to itself the drudgery of farm life both in the field and in the house and it is only a matter of a few years until it will be as universal in its service on the farm as is the farmer himself. It will become a part of farm life; a beneficial part; a profitable part. Get order in for there's a rush coming.

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No wonder! Your blood is all clogged up with poison. Your power of resistance is at a low ebb. Your blood needs food. It needs the help that the vitalizing tonic, Pepto-Mangan, will give it. Instead of feeling exhausted and tired out for months, you will soon pick right up and feel well and strong again. And with good red blood you are able to fight off ailments.

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From Louisville.

Adair County News,
Columbia, Ky.

Esteemed friends:

I have been thinking every since I returned from my recent visit to Adair county that I would write a few lines at least to the dear old home paper, but have been so busy I have not had time until now.

Twelve months does not seem a long time but still it is wonderful at the amount of changes that can take place in that time. Perhaps you who are upon the scene daily do not notice them, but just go away one year and

then they they are very apparent. And in the short time that I was permitted to remain in Columbia it is surprising to note the number of new faces to be seen.

At our old home Dirigo everything was moving along nicely, but many changes had taken place there also. At least eight persons who were neighbors and friends when I left Dirigo a few short years ago, had been called to the other side of the silent river when I returned. And although I will not admit that I am getting old it makes one feel that way when persons who were not old enough to attend the public schools when I taught my last term are now grown up and married.

Well, as there is nothing new here that the daily papers do not report, I will have to ring off. I am handing you herewith a couple of my poems that perhaps your readers will enjoy.

Yours very truly,

R. L. Campbell.

Geo. L. Martin, who defrauded a banking concern of Louisville out of nearly \$300,000, three years ago and made his getaway was caught in Dallas, Texas, a few days ago, and by the time this notice is read he in all probability will be behind the bars at Louisville. He started speculating with the banks money. He soon discovered that he had stolen \$18,000, and in order to win that back he continued to plunge until he had defrauded the institution out of nearly \$300,000. Knowing that he would never be able to replace it, he fled, and for three years he kept his identity concealed. He has a son 22 years old who has been with him for the past year, and a daughter 18 years old, who holds a responsible position at the L & N office, Louisville. When arrested he stated that he did not have but five dollars to his name, and that he borrowed \$200 from a friend to get away on. Here is a case where anxiety to make big money quickly, brought ruin and disgrace to a once popular family.

Obituary.

On Nov. 22, at 9:15 a. m. the death angel came and taken away one of the oldest citizens of our town, W. E. Hancock. He would have been 82 years old 29, of this month. Too much cannot be said of "Pap" Hancock as he was familiarly called. He was straight and upright with his fellowman, kind to every one and always ready to lend a helping hand. He had been an officer of the Christian church for 45 years. He leaves a wife and 3 children, E. P. Hancock, Edward and Mrs. Dr. Atkinson; 7 grand children 9 great grant children. His widow is left at the age of 80 years, and with the help of her children and grand children gave him every attention needed. He was afflicted 4 months with diseases due to all old solders and bore his suffering without a murmur. Funeral services were held at the home by Bros. Lee, Dudgeon and Williams, after which his remains were laid to rest in the family cemetery.

His doors were always open to all. Uncle Bill's house was a home for one and all. It has been said he cared for and fed more people than any man in the county, and it was a great pleasure to have his friend visit him. There are not many more such men as Uncle Bill Hancock and he will be greatly missed by every one. A good man gone. We express great sympathy to his wife and children, and the life he lived is a fine example, and if all live such lives we will some day enter the pearly gates and see him face to face.

Dirigo.

Our farmers are getting about through gathering corn.

Mr. Joe Traylor is drilling a well at Independence school. It is the third one at this place.

V. W. Campbell has been appointed Post-master at this place. A series of meetings is in progress at Independence. Mr. Newton Coffee of Colum-

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PUBLIC SALE.

Sale will be Held on
Wednesday, December 8, 1920, Rain or Shine
The Farm will be Sold at 11:30 a. m.

The J. N. Wylie farm of 143 acres and personal property consisting of: Cows, Horses, Hogs, Feed and Farming Implements and Dairy Utensils. This is an ideal Dairy farm with a nice brick residence of 8 rooms, closets, and all necessary outbuildings. A dandy dairy barn for 20 cows with a concrete Silo attached. A new tobacco barn. Under average fence, with never failing springs. Adjoining the thriving town of Charleston, Ind., with its good schools, churches, banks and excellent Interurban and steam R. R. facilities, in a splendid farming and stock raising belt, 15 miles north-east of Louisville, Ky. This farm will be offered in 3 tracts and then as a whole, the highest bid being accepted.

Be on hand and secure this nice property. Inspection invited before day of sale. Call on Mr. Wylie on the farm, or COOTS BROS. & GILL, Jeffersonville, Ind. Phone No. 750. Terms on farm 10 per cent. day of sale, 40 per cent. date of deed and possession, remainder in three equal amount notes with interest. Terms on stock and personal property 9 months with 6 per cent. interest from date of sale. Lunch on grounds. Possession can be given at any time.

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bia has been in our midst several days this week surveying land for Messrs. John Dixon and Amos Coomer.

Mr. Ed Stotts bought of Mr. Bud Curry one mule consideration \$70.

Mrs. Marvin Norris bought one fat hog from Jim Sparks for 12 cts. per lb.

Dr. Fayette Montgomery, who was a prominent physician of Danville, committed suicide last Wednesday by stabbing himself. He was a native of Elizabethtown and some years ago his father represented the Fourth district in Congress. The deceased leaves a wife and five children.

When Congress convenes the Republicans will have 293 in the House, a gain of 61 members. The Democrats lost 52 members.

Big Reduction in Merchandise

Gingham, Calico, Domestic, Underwear, Sweaters and shirts. 226 best grade Overalls \$3.00, all sizes for boys. Bargains in Shoes, high top Shoes \$7.00 to \$13.50. I have Ball Band Rubber Shoes and Boots.

Motion Pictures in my Hall Every Saturday night. Good Band Music.

L. M. Smith,
Cane Valley, Ky.

Men and boys suits. The latest styles
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Mrs. Patra Bryant and her son, Marvin, called at the News office Monday.

For Sale.

A Boy's saddle and a nice bridle. Apply to Mrs. Daisy Hamlett, Columbia, Ky.